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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification, Applicant submits herewith replacement drawings for Figs. 1A-1B and 17A-17D, along with a copy of the Notice.

The drawings submitted with the Response to File Corrected Application Papers filed on June 21, 2004 and received by the OIPE on June 22, 2004, did not label Fig. 1 as Figs. 1A and 1B, and Fig. 17D was incorrectly labeled as Figure 18D.

Respectfully submitted,

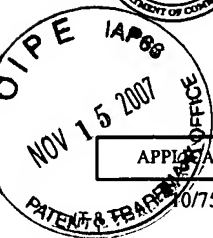
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NOTICE OF DRAWING INCONSISTENCY WITH SPECIFICATION

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The drawings filed 06-22-2004 have been received. However, an inconsistency exists between the drawings and the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Figures 1A, 1B, 17D are listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification but not contained in the Drawings.

Figures 1, 18D are contained in the Drawings but not listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Applicant is required to correct the above-noted inconsistency within a time period of **ONE MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS, whichever is longer**, from the mailing date of this Notice, or within the time remaining in the time period set forth in the Notice of Allowability (Form PTOL-37) to file corrected drawings, whichever is longer. **NO EXTENSION OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER EITHER 37 CFR 1.136 (a) OR (b)**

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